



CAREER OPPORTUNITIES IN PUBLIC HEALTH

- POSITION/TITLE:** National Health Standards Program Officer
Deputy Director, Division of Public Health Systems Development and Research (DPHSDR)
- LOCATION:** Public Health Practice Program Office (PHPPO),
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Atlanta, GA
- BACKGROUND:** This position is for the Deputy Director, DPHSDR. The missions of this Division are:
1. To develop and conduct a comprehensive scientific research program addressing public health practice from a systems perspective
 2. To engage in selected systems development efforts to transform public health practice at the community level
- Current systems development areas include:
1. Organizational performance measurement and improvement
 2. Public health informatics
 3. Leadership and management development
- Key programs include:
1. National Public Health Performance Standards Program
 2. National Health Alert Network
 3. Public Health Leadership and Management Institutes
- This position has two major responsibilities
1. Serve as Deputy Director, DPHSDR; and
 2. Serve as a working supervisor of the team responsible for the design, development and implementation of the public health performance standards program for state and local health departments.
- KEY DUTIES:**
- Provide leadership in the development of National public health standards and services within the state and local public health organizations and a National accreditation program to measure and certify performance.
 - Develop objectively defined indicators of performance and oversee field testing of the standards developed. Monitor the effectiveness of the performance standards and make necessary changes.
 - Formulate policies, plans, and strategies for the Division and function as the primary source of day-to-day guidance to the Division.
- KEY CHARACTERISTICS:**
- Education/Training: Medical Officer - requires a MD degree
National Health Standards Program Officer - doctoral level qualifications desirable.
- Experience: Recognition as a national expert in one or more aspects of public health practice and public health systems development and research. Leadership experience in performance measurement and/or information systems development desirable.
- Qualities: Leadership skills, understanding of local public health practice, experience in capacity building, team building and building internal and external partnerships.
- SALARY RANGE:** \$86,613 - \$112,597 per annum *(Depending on qualifications and experience)*. Note: In addition to the normal salary range, when applicable requirements are met, position may provide additional compensation.
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